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& Co., Manila. signed with a List of their Contributions CHINA: - Macao, F. A. DE CRUZ. for the year ending 31st December, 1888, in tow, Quelon & Co. Amoy, N. Molle. Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS Finchoie, Henge & Co. Shanghai, may be arranged. Returns not rendered LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY prior to the 30TH DAY OF MARCH INSTANT. & WAISH. Yokohuma, LANE, CRAW. will be adjusted by the Office, and no roun & Co., and KELLY & Co. Claims or Alterations will be subsequently

Hanks.

HON KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- | 87,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. Daputy Chairman - H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. W. G. BRODIE, Esq. 18. C. MICHAELSEN. J. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. Hon. JOHN BELL J. S. MOSES, Esq. L. Poesnecker, Esq. N. A. SIEBS, Esq. Hon. B. IM TON. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq.

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On Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months, 2 per cent, per some. n 4 per cent. n n 5 per cent, «

LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted, Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Anstralia, America, China and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE, Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1889

NOFICE.

TO ULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

.-The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the C.B.

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 3\frac{1}{2} per cent per landers; Major TRIPF; Captain Fletcher, annum will be allowed to depositors on R. A. (Hon. Secretary); Capt. Collinson. their daily balances.

5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6 .- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.

7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAT BANKING CORPORATION. G. E. NOBLE. Ohief Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

Notice of Firm.

MITSU BISHI COLLIERY AGENCY. NOTICE.

ON and after 1st Proximo, Mr. H. U. JEFFRIES will ASSUME CHARGE of March, 1889, to Captain Flerchen, R.A., this Agency.

H. J. H. TRIPP. Hongkong, February 26, 1889.

Intimations.

LADY (very good sailor) wishing to A Return to ENGLAND in the Spring, would be glad to give her Services, during No (3). the voyage, in return for her passage home. MISS EARLE, c/o OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.

Hongkong, February 4, 1889. 218

RS. H. WHARTON, shortly returning \$1. Members and honorary members of WEDNESDAY, the 6th March, at 3.30 to England: would be glad to TAKE Polo Club and Ladies free. Tickets of Ad- p.m., at the Rooms of the Chamber, City CHARGE of Two or THEER CHILDREN, to mission can be procured from Mr Slingeby Hall, for the purpose of receiving the bring up, and educate with her own. Bethell and Captain Des Vosux, Govern- Report of the Committee, and passing the Happy, comfortable, and refined home, with ment House, or from Messrs Kelly and | Secretary's Accounts for the year ending excellent educational advantages. TERMS MODERATE.

Apply care of MRSES, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1889.

Intimations.

ZETLAND

cordially INVITED.

Hougkong, March 2, 1889.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

LIMITED.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1888.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above OFFICE

ore requested to Furnish the Under-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Sixth Ordinary General MEETING

at the Office of the Company, Praya

Twelve o'Clock Noon, for the purpose of re-

ceiving the Report of the General Managers,

declaring a Dividend, and electing a Con-

THE ANNUAL HIGHLAND GAMES

1RT BATTALION ARGYLL

SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS

will take place

The following will be the Open Events:-

1. .. HALF-MILE RACE, open to the Services,

5. -- PIPERS COMPETITION open to the World.

6. -Also A Tug-ov-War, Teams of Ten.

DOLO CLUB RACES.

BY THE KIND PERMISSION

OF THE

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

will be held on

THE RACE COURSE.

Entrance, 50 Cents (to play quick-step

Volunteers and Police

Strathspey and Reel).

Entrance, \$5 each team.

Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

2. -- A MILE RACE.

4. - SWORD DANCE.

3.—HIGHEAND FLING

RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers.

sulting Committee and Auditors.

Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

both days inclusive.

Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

Business Notices.

NEW

N Emergency MEETING of the above INIAN BARRINGTON. A LODGE will be held in the FREE-SIMPS, SAILORS AND THE SEA. MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS GHOST STORIES. EVENING, the 2nd March, at 8.30 for ETHNE. 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are AULD LIGHT IDYLES.

ARM CHAIR ESSAYS. OLRIG GRANGE. MAJOR LAWRENCE. THE POETS AT PLAY. THE MOUNTAIN KINGDOM. LORD CAIRNS' THEP ROUND THE WORLD. THE DAGONET RECITER.

A TRIBUTE TO SATAN. GREYSTONES GRANGE. THE MAN HUNTER. BY WOMAN'S WIT. A LIPE'S MISTAKE.

STAUNTON'S CHESS. RUSTER'S INTEREST TABLES. THE RALANCE OF OUR CHRISTMAS ANNUALS WILL BE SOLD AT REDUCED PRICES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, February 26, 1889. Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. THIN Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horars in the place. of SHAREHOLDERS will be held The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

Central, on SATURDAY, 23rd March, at The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIAND and SMOKING ROOMS.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company | The HOTEL is unaurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. will be CLOSED from 9th to 23rd Instant, | Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

POWELL

EN STEAMSHIPS PERIN AND PROMETHEUS.

FIRST DELIVERIES OF

CIPRING AND SUMMER DRESS MATERIALS, On the 13th March, LADIES WHITE STRAW HATS, THE RACE COURSE. NEW FLOWERS AND FEATHERS. By KIND PREMISSION OF THE JOPKEY CLUB.

UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS. W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, February 23, 1889

Hougkong, January 14, 1819

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters,

TTAVE RECEIVED THEIR SECOND DELIVERY WINTER COATINGS, TWEED AND DRESS SUITINGS, TROUSERINGS, AND ULSTER TWEEDS.

A Very Stylish Selection. OUR OUTFITTING STOCK IS ALSO COMPLETE IN SEASONABLE GOODS. QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite HONGKONG HOTEL),

Intimations.

Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

THE BONGKONG AMATEUR

ATHLETIC SPORTS

TO BE HELD ON

THE RACE COURSE MEADOW,

SATURDAY,

the 16th March.

-Held under the Laws of the Amateur

Athletic Association, open to all Gen-

tlemen Amateurs who are Members or

visitors of the Hongkong Club, The

Club Germania, The Victoria Recrea-

tion Club, The Ladies Recreation

Club, and Commissioned Naval and

Military Officers. With the exception

of certain races which are open to all.

-Entries to close on Friday 8th March.

-Competitors are requested to send in

their entries to the Hon, Sec., WELL-

INGTON BARRACKS, as early as possible.

-Competitors are requested to send in

their Entries for races on forms which

are obtainable at the CHICKET PAVI-

LION, Messra, KELLY & WAL-H. and

GEO. BRAMWELL.

Wellington Barracks.

Hon. Sec.

Messrs. LANE, CHAWFORD & Co.

THE OHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Confirming the Resolution passed at the

NOTIOE.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER

THE Annual General MEETING of the

MEMBERS of the HONGRONG GRAE-

RAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be beld on

OF COMMERCE.

Bongkong, February 19, 1869.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE;

F. HENDERSON,

Secretary.

By Order,

By Order,

N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of

SHAREHOLDERS in the Company

Hongkong, 1st March, 1889.

PRAYA EXTENSION. SATURDAY THE MEETING of MARINE LOT the 9th March, 1889. OWNERS which was called for To-MORROW, the 2nd Instant, is POSTPONED President :- His Excellency Sir G. W. until WEDNESDAY, the 6th Instant, at DES VORUX, K.C.M.G. Vice-Presidents:-His Excellency Vice-ROOM. City Hall.

Admiral Sir N. SALMON, V.C., K.C.B.; His Excellency Lieut.-General W. G. CAMBRON, Committee :- T. H. WHITEHEAD, Esq. . ARMSTRONG, Esq.; Captain DES VOUX A.D.O.; R. O. Gove, Esq., A. & S. High-

.- THE CAUSEWAY STAKES .- Half-n-Mile Handicap for all China Ponies. Entrance, \$5. 1st Prize, \$30; 2nd, \$10; 3rd. save Stake.

-THE POLO BALL RACE .- To hit a Ball round a post and back through a goal : post to be passed on the left. Entrance. 82. Prize, 810. -THE LADIES' NOMINATION 'DISTANCE

HANDICAP.' 5 furlongs. For Members and Honorary Members of the Polo Club. Owners up. Weights to accompany entrances. Entrance, \$2. A Prize to the Nominator. THE POLO CLUB STAKES.—One Mile.

Catch Weights over 11st. 7lbs. Winners of an open race at the late Hongkong Meeting, 10fbs. extra: Subscription Griffin Winners and 'placed Ponies in open races, at the same, 5ths. extra. Entrance, \$5. 1st Prize, \$30; 2nd, \$15; 3rd, save Stake. .- THE MAZE BALL -To ride in and out

of a line of posts; any rider knocking down a post to be disqualified. Entrance, \$2. Prize, \$10. .-THE 'CONSOLATION HANDICAP': forced Entry for all Ponies entered at the Meeting except in events (2) and (5).

Beaten Ponies only to start. Once Round. Entrance, \$3. First Prize, \$30; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, save Stake. will be held at the Company's OFFICE, No. CONDITIONS. the Afternoon of WEDNESDAY, the 6th

day of March, 1889, for the purpose of R.A. Mess, College Gardens. 2. - Decision of the Committee to be final | Meeting held This Day, the 19th of Febru-367 on all points.

1. - Entries to Close on Monday, 4th

3.-Three Ponies to start for each event r no prize. 4. - Colours optional.

5.-Hirelings and jobbed ponies may run in (2) and (5); hirsd ponies, which have been regularly played at Polo may run in The Committee have the right of making a rateable deduction from the added money,

should sufficient funds not be forthcoming.

7.-The Committee to handicap. Admission to the Stand and Enclosure. Walsh, and can also be purchased on the 31st December, 1888.

W. FLETCHER, Hongkong, February 28, 1869.

Intimations.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

AT OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING of 2.30 p.m., in the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE | the PUNJOM AND SUNGHEI DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at 393 | the Registered Office of the Company, No. 9, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, on MON-DAY, the 18th day of March, 1889, at 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon, when the subjoined Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company beld on the 25th of February instant, will be submitted for Confirmation as a

Special Resolution. RESOLUTION That the Capital of the Company be in-

creased to the sum of \$600,000 legally current in the Colony of Hongkong by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of 810 each. Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the Meeting sanctioning the increase of Capital, all New Shares shall be offered to the Members in proportion to the existing Shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting a time within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time or on the receipt of an intimation from the Member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered, such Shares shall be dealt with by the Directors in their discretion. Dated the 25th day of February, 1889.

By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED. 5. Queen's Road, Victoria, at 3 o'Clock in TOTICE is hereby given that if the above

mentioned Resolution for the Increase of the Capital of the Company be Confirmed, the SHARE REGISTER of the Company will be CLOSED from the 19th day of March to the 15th day of April, Dated the 25th day of February, 1889.

By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN, Secretary.

THE CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

HIS Company having PURCHASED the MILLS from the Hongkong STEAM SAW MILL Co. (Ltd.), Bowrington, are prepared to Contract for the Superly of Bonneo and other Timbers, in Logs or sawn, to any dimensions, at short notice, The Company are also prepared to undertake GENERAL AGENCY BUSINESS at any of it Branches in Borneo.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents in Hongkong.

Hongkong, January 1, 1889.

Business Notices.

CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Stock-taking.

STATIONERY

COMPRISING :- WRITING DESKS, 'ALBUMS, SCRAP BOOKS, Callerent BOOKS, STUDIES FOR ARTISTS, FANCY SOAPS, NOTE PAPER, ENVELOPES, AND A FEW STANDARD WORKS AND

NOVELS at SALE PRICES.

Now Proceeding.

Hongkong, March 2, 1889.

Auctions.

Important Land Sale

AT KOWLOON. VALUABLE BUILDING ESTATE WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY AUCTION,

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer,

THURSDAY,

the 7th March, at 2.30 p.m., comprising :-EIGHTY-SEVEN LOTS; Known as Sections 1, 2, 3, &c., of INLAND Lors 570 & 571.

Y A U - M A - T E EWith extensive frontages to Robinson Road and other Public Roads, and Excellent Building Sires, already LEVELLED for BUILDING

SHOPS. DWELLINGS OR MANUFACTORIES.

Fullest Particulars, including Plans and Conditions of Sale, may be obtained on application to

HENRY J. HOLMES, Solicitor. 54, Queen's Road; W. St. JOHN B. HANCOCK, C. B., F. E. L. B. A., 3. Beaconsfield Arcade ;-

The Auctioneer. Duddell Street.

Hongkong, February 20, 1889. Intimations.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Second Ordinary Annual MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s Office, Pedder's Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th March, 1889, at 12 o'Clock (noon), to receive a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1888.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, to WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of March next, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

ISAAC HUGHES. Secretary.

Hongkong, February 19, 1889. LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE Seventh Ordinary Annual MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICE of the General Agents, at Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 7th March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of Account to the 31st December, 1888. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

until 7th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 19, 1889.

will be CLOSED from the 22nd February

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TTHE DIVIDEND of 2 % or \$2.50 per BHARE for the Six Months ended 31st December, 1888, declared at Yesterday's Ordinary Yearly Meeting will be Payable at the HONGEONG AND SHANGHAT BANKING I Corroration from this date the 26th Inst., and Shareholders are requested to apply or DIVIDEND WARRANTS at the Company's OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central.

By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES, Secretary. Hongkong, Fabruary 26, 1889.

OHINA MERCHANTS STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY'S DEBENTURE LOAN or 1886.

TNTEREST Due and DRAWN BONDS of this LOAN will be Payable at the Offices of the Honorong & Shanghai Bank-ING CORPORATION on and after the 1st day of March, 1889. LISTS of DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

> HONGKONG & SHANGRAI BANKING CORPORATION, Agents Isming the Loan, G. E. NOBLE,

For the

Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 25, 1889,

For Sale.

FOR SALE. TULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, Quarts......\$20 per Case of 1 doz. Pints......\$21 " " 2 " Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s

WHITE WINES. Baxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bree' WHISKY, -\$72 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

BORDEAUX CLARETS AND

NOW READY. \multimap TTOW TO SPEAK CANTONESE Fifty Practical Conversations in Cantonese Colleguial,

J. DYER BALL. PRICE. - - THREE DOLLARS.

Other Books by the same Author: 'CANTONESE-MADE-EASY,' 2nd Ed.,...\$3.00 THE CANTONESE-MADE-EASY1.00 VOCABULARY, AN ENGLISH-CANTONESE POC-KET VOCABULARY,

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EASY SENTENCES IN THE HARKA DIALECT WITH A VOCABULARY, 'How to Write the Radicals,'......0.75 'How to Weite Chinese,' Part I.,....2.00

FORD & Co. s. Mensrs. KELLY & WALSH'S. and Mr. W. W. BREWER'S. Hongkong, February 20, 1889.

> To Let. TO LET.

> > 13. Praya Central.

MYO. 3. WEST TERRACE. Apply to G. C. ANDERSON,

(Entry 1st March next.)

Hongkong, January 20, 1880. TO LET.

ATO. 2. MORRISON HILL Entry 1st April. Apply to G. C. ANDERSON. 13, Praya Central.

Hongkong, February 25, 1889. TO LET. TEAK_'LA HACIENDA,' formerly

occupied by Sir George PHILLIPPO. Apply to H. N. MODY.

Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, December 12, 1888. 2096 TO LET. OND FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN'S

ROAD CENTRAL.

Possession from 1st April next. LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 25, 1889.

TO LET. With Early Possession. NTOS. 1, 2 & 4, QUEEN'S GARDENS.

Apply to G. C. ANDERSON. 13, Praya Central. Hongkong, January 25, 1889.

- TO LET. TOOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS.'

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, December 12, 1888.

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW. CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and

Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Ball, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 8th March. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hungkong, February 28, 1889.

Agents.

Steamers.

LIMITED.

The Co.'s Steamship Haitan. Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 3rd Proxime, at

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co..

Hongkong, February 27, 1889. FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG. The Steamship Kashqar.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

CALCUTTA. The Steamship Wingsang.

This Steamer has superior First-class Accommodation, specially constructed to meet the requirements of tropical climates. For Freight or Pessage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. Steamship will leave for the above places at Noon on THURSDAY, 7th March.

E. L. WOODIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co,'s Office, Hongkong, February 21, 1889.

for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGISZE,) The Co.'s Steamship Telamon,

For Freight or Passage, apply to Agents.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

and BREMEN.) The Steamship Inhiamia. Captain L. Voltage, will be despatched for the

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship W. S. THOMSON, Com-mander, will be des-Oanfa,

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.) The Steamship

Captain CRAIG, will be despatched for the shove Ports on TUESDAY, the 19th March, at

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, February 28, 1889.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

Changsha. WILLIAMS, Com'der, will be despatched as above

the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Burgeon is

Hongkong, February 28, 1889,

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Shipping.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

General Managers.

Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

on WEDNESDAY, the 6th of March, at

FOR SALE:—At Messrs. Lane, CRAW-

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, February 28, 1889.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to NTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL

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FOR LONDON AND LIVERPCOL.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

Guthrie.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

LIMITED. The Co.'s Steamship

on WEDNESDAY, the 20th Prox., at 4. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are aituated forward of the Enginer. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures

Captain Gadd, will be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 4th Instant, at

Captain Sr. Choix, will be despatched as above

Hongkong, February 28, 1889. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

OUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 7th March.

above Ports on SUNDAY, the 10th Inst., at 10 a.m.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS'

patched as above on or about the 15th Inst. For Freight, apply to

LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

2 p.m.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents

Entertainment.

WEBB'S MARIONETTES.

THE LAST PERFORMANCE

Beauty and the Beast, AND THE PRESENT PROGRAMME.

THE ITALIAN FANTOCCINI, THE CHRISTY MINISTRELS and the Beautiful Pantomimo of Beauty and the Beast,

Changing into the Harlequinade; after which

MRS, AUSTIN POWER will appear in her TOPICAL SONG, 'I CAN'T GET A GOOD NIGHT'S REST; The whole Concluding with a Grand

Transformation Scene, Entitled The Palace of Dew Drops in the Grotto of

Reserved Scats may be secured and

Booked at Messrs. Kelly and Walsh's. PRICES OF ADMISSION !.

Dress Circle and Stalls, Children j price; Soldiers in Uniform will | Office of this Paper. be admitted to the Fit at half price. O. DERMER.

. - \$2.00

Manager.

Hongkong, March 2, 1889.

Notices to Consignees.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FROM ANWERP AND LONDON. THE Steamship Glengarry, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of

Cargo by her and by the S.S. Holland and Ludgate Hill, from New York, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG AND ROWLOOM WHARP AND GODOWN Co., LD., at Kowloon, whence delivery 181 may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th March, will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignoes are also requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 11th March, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Ca,

Hongkong, February 25, 1889, INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

THE Company's S.S. Wingsang, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkone and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LD., at West Point, whence delivery may be

SINGAPORE.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 5th of March will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages notlator than two weeks after arrival of the steamer, otherwise they will not be recognized.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 27, 1889.

STEAMSHIP SAGHALIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Tamisé and Manché, from Havre ex S.S. Manché, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. Congo and Eyriand des Vergues in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods -with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immedi-

stely after landing. Optional Cargo will beforwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 5 p.m., To-Day (Thursday), request-

ing it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after FRI-DAY, the 8th March, 1889, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at

one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 9th March, or they will not be Office. recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, February 28, 1889.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP AFGHAN, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL,

PENANG AND SINGAPORE. CONSIGNRES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Whare & Godown Co. a

Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 5th Prox. will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 5th Proximo, or they will not be re-

cognised No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, February 27, 1889.

Notices to Consignees.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE S.S. FLINTSHIRE, FROM

EVENING, HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kow-LOON WHARF & GODOWN Co. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-

loss notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 7th Instant, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 1, 1889.

Intimations.

VICTORIA PUBLIC SCHOOL, YOKOHAMA.

Agents.

FIRES SCHOOL, situated in a very bealthy position on the Bluff, provides good EDUCATION FOR BOYS from 8 to 17. Boarders .aken. Prospectus with

> C. H. HINTON, M.A., Oxon, Head Master.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF EXPIRY OF OPIUM FARM.

HE Exclusive PRIVILEGE of BOILING and PHEFARING OPIUM and SELLING and RETAILING OFFICE SO Boiled or Propored will CEASE on the 28TH DAY OF FERRUARY, 1889. No boiled or prepared Opium purchased from us or our Licensees con be used after the 3rd day of March, 1889, at Noon, without the consent of the New Holder of such exclusive privilege as aforesaid.

Dated 26th January, 1889. KHOO TEONG POH, CHEAH TEK SOON, Opium Farmers.

No. 7, WYNDHAM STERET. TOOARD AND RESIDENCE. COMFORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. MODERATE THUMS.

MRS. KJELLER, Proprietress. Hongkong, January 26, 1889.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PAYMENT OF GTB DIVIDEND.

6TH DIVIDEND of 61 % on all CLAIMS against the HONGKONG BRANCH of THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-TION, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery, will be paid at the Offices of the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-TION, LIMITED, OR and after MONDAY, NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE OREDITORS are requested to apply to the (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.)

Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Liquidator, admitting their Claims, in order that the Payment of the 6th Dividend may be endorsed thereon.

PAYMENT OF FINAL DIVIDEND IN ADVANCE UNDER DISCOUNT.

THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR by arrangement with THE ASSETS REALISATION Co. is prepared to Pay IN ADVANCE to CREDITORS willing to receive such Payment IN FULL DISOHARGE OF THEIR CLAIMS the Dividend of 5 % payable in the year 1890, UNDER A DISCOUNT OF FIVE TWELFTHS PER CENT. CREDITORS who are willing to accept Payment of the Final Dividend less discount as above are requested to communicate with the Undersigned BEFORE THE END OF THE CURRENT MONTH.

E. W. RUTTER, Agent for the Official Liquidator, Oriental Bank Corporation in Liquidation.

QUEEN'S ROAD, Hongkoug, February 6, 1889.

TONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM WAYS COMPANY, Lad. TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS. 8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. 12 n 2 p.m. n half hour. 3 n 7 n n quarter of an hour.

THURSDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.45 and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS. 10.40 a.m.; 125 to 3 p.m. every half hour.

3 to 7 p.m. every quarter of an hour. Special CARS may be obtained on application to the Superintendent. Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cont Coupons and REDUCED TICKETS at the MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, January 2, 1889.

To-day's Advertisements.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Hunres, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, March 2, 1889. STEAM TO SHANGHAY

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Kaisar i-Hind

will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail

E. L. WOODIN; Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 2, 1880.

FOR SALE. BROADWOOD GRAND PIANO, \$150, Cash.

Apply to OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, Marsh 2, 1889.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from the OFFICIAL ADMINISTRAron to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY the 5th March, 1889, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of the late Mr. FRANCISCO DE SA No. 20, Elgin Street,-

THE WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :-- .

CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM ENGLISH MARBLE-TOP ROUND CENTRE TABLE, CHIMNEY GLASSES, CONSOLE GLASS, OIL PAINTING, PICTURES, CHANDELIER, LAMPS, BRONZE FIGURES, and ORNAMENTS, CARRET and HEARTH RUGS. EXTENSION DINING TABLE, ENGLISH-MADE MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD with GLASS BACK, WHATNOTS, CHAIRS and EASY CHAIRS, DIN.

NER DESSERT and TEA SERVICES, and GLASS-DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD, WARDROBES, GLASS BOOK CASES, ENGLISH-MADE ESCRI-TOIRE, MARBUR-TOP BUREAU with GLASS SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH. and WASHSTAND. SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by COLLARD

1 HAND HARMONIUM. 1 MUSICAL BOX. TERMS OF SALE. - As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, March 2, 1889. THE BEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SINGAPORE. The British Steamer Benlawers, Capt. WEBSTER, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 6th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Pussage, apply to

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, March 2, 1689.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship A tenor, Captain Gazes, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 7th Instant.

Passengers for Europe desiring to proceed OVERLAND, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to MARSEILLES (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to Paris or London. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to London occupies about the same time.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 2, 1889.

ITALIANA

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY, Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers, to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID. MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and GENOA; all MEDITERBANEAN, ADRIATIO, LEVANTINE and SOUTH AMERI-

CAN PORTS, up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD. The Co.'s Steamship will be despatched as instantation above on FRIDAY, the liver.

8th Instant, at Noon. At Bombay the Steamors are discharging in VICTORIA'S DOCK. For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, March 2, 1889.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Co.'s Steamship Capt Milligan, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 8th Instant.

Passengers for EUROPE desiring to proceed OVERLAND, can, on application to the Undersigned, have their Tickets endorsed for surrender at Algiers in exchange for Coupon Tickets to MARSEILLES (by Transatlantic Company's express boats), and thence to PARIS or LONDON. Algiers is 28 hours steam from Marseilles, and thence to London occupies about the same time. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 2, 1889. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI AND TRIESTE. (Taking Varge at through rates to CAL-

OUTIA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Amphitrite.

Capt. L. LEMESSICH, WIL on MONDAY, the 11th Inst., at Noon. For further Particulars, regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the AGENCY of the Company, Praya Central. O. BACHRACH,

Hongkong, March 2, 1889. 409 STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co. Steamship will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, 15th Inst., at Noon. E. L. WOODIN.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. 18 Office, Hongkong, March 2, 1889,

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

CLERK OF WORKS. VATANTED a COMPETENT MAN, a CAR-

VV PENTER by Trade preferred; also a FOREMAN who can speak Chinese. Applications by Letter stating Wages, &c., to be MR. S. JOHN H. HANCOCK, C.E., 3. Beaconsfield Arcade.

Hongkong, March 2, 1889.

STEAM FOR "SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID, MALTA, MARSEILLES, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, ANCONA VENICE, PLYMOUTH AND

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA.

LONDON:

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bill. of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND OBJECTAL STEAM NAVIGATIOS COMPANY'S Steam-ship PEKIN, Captain P. Hannis, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be desparehod from this for LONDON, via BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, 13th March, 1889, at Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until p.m. on the day before sailing. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one

week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo For further Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGIA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are

required to be declared prior to shipmout. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. Passengers desir ma of insuring their baggage can do so on application at the Counpany's Office.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

tiongkoug, March 2, 1880. DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA. LIMITED,

Dakin Brothers' Compound Syrup

CHEMISTS.

of the Hypophosphites. A N admirable Tonic for the nervous A system and digestive organs, in every respect equal to any of the much advertised SYRUPS of the HYPOPHOSPHITES. The

formula is on the label, and is constant and unchangeable. DAKIN BROTHERS' CHEMICAL

FOOD, SYRUP OF THE PHOSPHATES OF IRON, LIME, POTASH AND SODA.

An exceedingly useful preparation for growing children, aids healthy development and fortifies the system against

DAKIN BROTHERS' OXXGENISED SALINE POWDER. Aperient, Cooling. Refreshing. Of great value in preventing and remov ing any derangement of the stomach

22. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. TELEPHONE No. 60.

Hongkong, March 2, 1889. Not Responsible for Debts.

AT either the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Orem of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Herbour :-

ADAM W. Seres, American barque, Capt. D. Field.-Russell & Co. PACTOLUS, American ship, Capt. Th. D. Burnham .- Pustan & Co.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. March 2, 1889 :-Kucang Lee, Chinese str., from Whampon. Freir, Danish ateamer, 410, C. A. Lund,

Haiphong Feb. 27, General.-ABNHOLD, KARBERO & Co. Thales, British steamer, 820, Hunter, Taiwanfoo Feb. 25, Amoy 27, and Swatow March 1. General. - DOUGLAS STRANSHIP Co. Canton, British steamer, 1,111, J. Bremner. Shanghai February 26, General .-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Alwine, German steamer, 400, Samuel sen, Pakhoi February 27, and Holhow 28, General - WIELER & Co. Bormida, Italian steamer, 1,499, Emilis De Negri, Bombay February 9, and Singapore, General, -CARLOWITZ & Co. Marie, German str., 740, A. C. Hundewadt, Haiphong February 28, Rice and General-A. R. MARTY.

DEPARTURES. March 2:-Wyvern, for Bangkok. Nerbudda, for Saigon and Singapore. Escort, for Mantang. Flintchive, for Yokohama. Diamante, for Amoy and Manila. Kumamoto Maru, for Kutchinotza.

CLEARED. Arabic, for San Francisco. 402 Alwine, for Hoihow and Pakhoi. Chow Fa, for Suatow. Haitan, for Coast Ports. Albany, for Singapore and New York. Kwang Lu, for Shanghai. PASSENGERS.

> ARRIVED. Per Freir, from Haiphong, Mr Henry Norman, and 20 Chinese. Per Canton, from Shanghai, 26 Chinese, Por Alwine, from Pakhoi, 58 Chinese, Per Bormida, from Bombay, 278 Chinese. Per Marie, from Haiphong, I European, and 35 Chinese.

Per Thales, from Talwantoo, &c., Messrs 1 Forrest, Rawcliffe and Lauts, and 279 Chi-

DEPARTED. Per Escart, for Mantung 9 Chinese. Per Nerbudda, for Saigon, Mr-H. Twy-

Per Verena, for Nagarahi, Mr O. Uki: for Hingo, Mr Tong, Foo Tai; for Kobe, Miss Sharp, Messes Finney, March, and Ah Poo; for Yokohama, Mr Max Fisher, and Mr D. K. Arai. TO DEPART.

Per Arabic, for San Francisco, 18 Euromeans, and 18 Chinese. Per Haitan, for Swatow, 250 Chinese for Amoy, Mr and Mrs Max Gaebel; for Foochow, Mr and Mrs A. Buyers, Mr F. H. Dalby, and Mr Charles J. S. Makin. Por Aluine, for Hoihow, 80 Chinese. Per Chow Fa, for Swatow, 1000 Chinese Per Kwang Lee, for Shanghai, 1 European, and 250 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Thales reports: Taiwanfoo to Amoy, light airs, smooth sea, and foggy to Chapel Island. From Chapel Island to port, heavy rain and squally. Amoy to Swatow, fresh breeze and sea, weather cloudy and overcast. Swatow to port, moderate N.N.E. breeze, overcast and hazy. Steamers at Amoy, Neuchwang, and American frigate. Steamers at Swatow, Fooksung, Sungkiang and Meefoo. The British steamer Canton reports : Had moderate to fresh N.W. breeze, and fair weather from port to port.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. WAILS will close :-

For SHANGHAL .-Per Kaving Lee, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 3rd inst. For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS .-Per Kushyar, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday,

the 4th inst., instead of as previously notified. For SAIGON,-

Per Cicero, at 4.30 p.m., on Monday, the 4th inst. For HAIPHONG .-Per Friji, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight .- Haitan leaves for Coast Ports. Daylight.-Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co. 's Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping. Noon. - Kashyar leaves for Straits.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Glengarry undelivered after this date subject to rent.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

TIAVE JUST RECEIVED

THEIR ANNUAL SUPPLY

SWEET CORN.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited, HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

January 15th, 1889. MARRIAGES. On the 2nd Instant, at St. John's Cathedral, by the Rev. W. Jennings, Colonial Chaplain, ANDREW CHARLES MORE, son of the late Captain Robert More, to KATE, daughter of the late Stephen Reeves, o Clevedon, Sometsetshire.

On Fob. 18th, at H. B. M. Consulate. and afterwards at St. Andrew's Church, Chefoo, by the Rev. W. J. Williams, J. C. JOHNSTON, of the Imperial Maritime Customs Service, to FRANCES E., cldest daughter of S. Dunkley, Esq., The Grange, Creaton, Northampton.

The publication of this issue commenced at 8.35 p.m.

The China Irland. HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 2, 1889.

TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL.] (Via Southern Line.)

THE TIMES AND THE PARNELL

COMMISSION.

London, 27th February, 1889. Pigott is missing and a warrant has been issued for his arrest; meanwhile the Com-

mission has adjourned. ATTACK ON THE GOVERNMENT

POLICY. Committee will be considered. Thereafter In the House of Commons Mr John there will be a discussion on ' Has our in-Morley moved an amendment to the address. but the main part of his speech consisted of mutual benefit or otherwise?' an attack upon the Government for the prison treatment of commoners and the alleged police assistance given to the Times. Mr Balfour replied in a powerful speech vigorously defending the action of the Go-

THE PARNELL COMMISSION. LONDON, 28th February, 1889. The counsel for the 'Times' withdrew. the letters and expressed regret for their publication.

LORD SALISBURY ON THE STATE OF TRADE, Lord Salisbury, speaking at a banquet, said he rejoiced at the emphatic symptoms of a revival of trade. (From Singapore Papers.)

IRELAND.

London, Feb. 21 .- Mr O'Brien, M.P.

has been sentenced to a further period of

six months' imprisonment. ELECTION INTELLIGENCE. Mr Kinloch, Separatiet, has been elected f r Perthabire by a majority of 1700. This election was caused by the death

or the Eastern division of the county, (not | A smooring match between the Garrison by the retirement as we at first supposed of Sir D. Currie, member for the Western Division). Mr Monzies at the last general election, polled 3,504 votes against 2,195 cast for his Liberal Unionist opponent.]

THE SITUATION. Herr von Boettecher for Germany, opening the Trade Congress at Berlin, said the e was no reason to fear any disturb-

ance of the peace of Europe.

LUCAL AND GENERAL. PARSED SUEZ CANAL WARD BOUND :- Keat, Jan. 11 ; Ehren fels, 15; Nestor, 29; Glenfinlas, Feb. 1 an, 84 Thyra, 12 ; Glengyle, Ningchow, 15 : Anadyr, Bellerophon, Glamorganshire, Badsworth, Antonio, Sussex, 19; Lydia, Spindrift, 22; Cyclops, 26.

ern. 26. 10 P. & O. stonmer Kaisir-i-Hind, withthe English Mail of Fobruary 1st, Singapore on Wednesday, the 27th ulto, at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on December 20th. P. M. Co.'s steamer City of Sydney,

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Yorkshire, Fob. 8;

Ulysses, 12; Telemachus, 15; Monnouth-

shire, Polyhymnia, Poseidon, 19; Bay-

with the American Mail of February 4th, left Yokohama on Thursday, 28th ultimo, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 6th inst. The Canadian Pacific Co.'s str. Abyssinia

left Vancouver for Japan, &c. on the 19th ulto. The N. G. I. s.s. Bermida left Singapore on or about the 3rd inst. The Union Line steamer Balcurres Brook, Hongkong to the North China Famine from Hamburg, left Singapore on the Relief Fond :-

25th ulto., and may be expected here

and may be expected here on or about

on or about the 4th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s s. S. Telamon, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 26th ulto. and may be expected here on or about the 5th March. The D. D. R. steamer Frigga, from Hamburg, left Singapore on the 28th Feb.,

the 6th March. The steamship Arratoon Apear, from Calthe 6th March.

about the 7th March.

about the 8th March. on the 21st Feb.

left Port Darwin for this port on 27th

CATHEDRAL -QUINQUAGESIMA SUNDAY. Matins :- Voluntary, Baccarole, Weley ; tary, Interlude.

Paalms, Crotch & Hervey ; Cantato, Hopkins : Deus Misereatur, Hopkins ; Prelude and Fuge-Back. On the fourth page will be found a very

we are informed that business has since been done in Rupe shares at \$120 for Brandt, of Germany, C. Denby, of the

THE Agent of the Austro-Hung. Lloyd's S.

N. Co. informs us that the S. S. Amphitrite,

Emperor of China's wedding.

on Thursday afternoon. WE understand that, although the allot ment of shares has been made in the Elec tric Light Coy., owing to the very great Ir is said that the Vicercy (Li Hung number of applications (1895 applicants),

it will take some time to get the Letters of Allotment sent out. THE first spoon competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association at 900 yards took place this afternoon and was won by Mr F. S. Collins with a score of 33, Mr C. B. Ladds being second with a score of 30.

There were 14 competitors. DIVINE SERVICE FOR SEAMEN. On Sunday | shell to explode with disastrons effect durmorning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch carrying the Bethel flag will call alongside any vessel boisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore to 11 s.m. service at St. Peter's Seamon's Church, returning about 12.30.

Debating Society, will be held on Monday

WHAT a blessing a Custom House is! Our neighbours in Tonkin are in raptures over theirs There is such a beautiful intricacy in the working of the institution. A lady, for example, goes to the Custom House to receive some pot plants that have been adde seed to her. And the officials are so kind that they take out the earth, weigh as a chemist would do, and then repeat the same operation for the plants and pots. Another resident is outrusted by a lady to get delivery of a small bux containing such small nicknacks as needles, ribbons, cravats &c., and has the pleasure of waiting three hours at the Custom House till the needles, thread, ribbons &c., are weighed with a care equal to that which any druggist would devote to the weighing of a few grains of some costly drug. No wonder the residents in Hanoi and Haiphong look forward with great hope to their cities becoming flourishing commercial centres, the trade is so carefully looked after by such an army of intelligent, painstaking of Mr R. S. Menzies, Home rule member Customs officials. Vive la Douane.

Club and the Police, ten a-side, took place at Kowloon this afternoon. The ranges word 200, 4:0 and 500 yards, seven shots. at onch. The result was a victory for the Police team by 48 points, they having beat their opponents at every range, as follows: -200 yards. 28 points ; 400 yards, 2 points; 600 yards, 18 points. The Police shot with carbines, and their opponents with rifles. The highest individual scores were: for the Garrison, Sergt. O'Leary, R.H., 92; for the Police, Constable D. Maclennan, 91. There was a strong wind from the East, and

the weather was very foggy.

WE have been requested to insert the fol-Trifels, Dorset, Moray, & ; Benarty, Tit- lowing item :- 'As Victoria College will not be ready to be opened by H. E. the Governor for a few weeks, and as the Prize Distribution cannot conveniently be further postponed, the Head Master will distribute the prizes at the Government Central School, without ceremony, on Tuesday, March 5th, at noon. Donors of prizes, parents of boys and persons interested in education are invited to be present.' This is a very shuffling way of getting out of a difficulty. Why could not the Governor have come forward and again acknowledged in a straightforward manner that the new school was not finished yet. owing the system which compelled the Government to get a large part of the material from Home, so that the work might be done at as much expense and with as little expedition as possible? Why not have done this, instead of getting the Head-master and the scholars to assemble like a lot of conspirators to get over the work of prize distribution as it were without the knowledge of the

Government ! on the 23rd ulto, and may be expected. Mr. H. M. Hillier begs to acknowledge with thanks the following subscriptions from

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cutta, left Singapore on the 28th Feb., The smicable cession of Psi-t'ang, the and may be expected here on or about occupation under favouring circumstances of the new site, and the quashing of the The O.S.S. Co.'s steamship Hector, from Protectorate will certainly have a good Liverpool, left Singapore on the 27th | effect upon the Catholic mission. Now that Feb., and may be expected here on or they are severed from aggressive political influences, greater facilities; confidence. The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd S. N. Co.'s and teleration will be accorded by the Chisteamship Amphitrite, from Trieste, nese officials, literati, and people, and we left Singapore on 28th ult., and may are confident the various missions will soon be expected here on or about the 7th recognise a wide and beneficial change in their relations with the Chinese Empire. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Guthrie Chinese Times.

Feb., and may be expected here on or THE Chinese Times says :- The Seventh Prince is reported to be recovering in The s.s. Deccan left Bombay for Hongkong | health, at any rate now transacts official business, and his part in the conduct of it is continuous and laborious, as he is espe-ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S cially referred to in particular matters. His brother, Prince Kung, is not in good health, as a serious disorder, formerly abat-Venite. Russell &c.; Te Deum, Wood- ed, has returned, and he issuid to suffer much ward &c., p. xii; Jabilate, Garrett from the effects of it. The Sixth Prince is, in F : Anthem, 'O Saviour of the however, looked upon by many as the World'; Kyrie, Missa de Angelis; coming man, when the assumption of full Hymn, 210; Offertory, 367; Volun- power by the Emperor requires the Seventh to keep more alouf from the responsibilities

Evensong :- Voluntary, Andanto, Smart; of public business. A TELEGRAM to the Shen Pao says that on Hymus, 274, 200 & 15; Voluntary, 23rd February an Edict from the Empress appeared at Poking ordering that on the occasion of the Emperor's marriage and accession Prince King, a kin-wang or interesting account of the ceremony at the Prince of the 2nd Order, and the members of the Tsung-li Yamen, should during the second moon of this year appoint a day for In connection with our weekly Share List, an entertainment in the Yamen to the Shioda Saburo, Envoy of Japan, M. von United States, Sir John Walsham, of Great Britain, A. Conmany, of Russia, Rodriguez y Munoz, of Spain, G. Lemairo, of France, L. Verhæghe de Naeyer, of Belgium, etc., on which occasion ceng atulatory presents from Trieste, left Singapore for this port of silk; etc., should be given to them. Presents are also to be sent to those Foreign Ministers who are absent from Peking. Jade sceptres called ju-i (as you

> Chang, has, at the instance of the Commission appointed, decided to purchase one ironclad fort to be constructed of rolled armour plate, to carry two short gues, and to be erected at Wei-hai-wei. The cost is reported to be fixed at £60,000 sterling complete. The result of the experiments. at Meppen, Spezzia, and in France has shown that compound (i.e. steel on iron) armour, steel armour, and chilled iron (Grusons of Magdeburg patent) armour is pronounced superior to rolled iron, as rolled iron does not arrest the projectiles, is more easily perforated, and allows the

ing or after perforation. If the new armour clad turret is to be exposed to the fire of ships, carrying from 6 inch to 9.2-inch or 10-inch guns of great power, the Chinese would have been safer with material possessing the utmost obtainable power of resistance. Rolled fibrous iron was an excellent material ten years ago, but has gone out of fashion since the A MEETING of the Hongkong Literary and Oreusot steel plates first proved their superiority at Spezzia, and tirnson's chilled iron proved how the impact of shot could next at which the rules drafted by the be resisted by a material combining extreme hardness with toughness. If ever the Wei-hai-wei turret is attacked it will be by heavy cannon firing projectiles at an initial tercourse with the Chinese been to our velocity of from 1,850 to 2,100 feet per second, and wrought iron may not stand

> 'FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the Ponjom 'boom' has been a good thing for a number of investors in Hongkong, as it has brought a good deal of ready money into the place, but that much yet remains to be known about what London

withstanding. That some heavy guns passed through here for their promised powder belchers.

wish) will form part of these gifts.

the severe test so well as the materials which are now used in proference - Chinese

and Singapore mean by thus purchasing the Company's property by instalments, instead of wholesale. That having melancholy recollections of mining speculations in days gone by, I am not in the Poujom swim, but those who are may well be congratulated not-

in a Glen steamer the other day for the North, and if the Chinese Government can get 35-ton guns from Armstrong why should Hongkong and Singapore have to go on sighing so long and sorely That the Masonio Ball was a grand success, both as a spectacular display and a hospitable entertainment, and the Brethren

may rest assured that they were the means of giving a great deal of pleasure to almost the whole of the community. That the Concert on Wednesday for the Soldier and Sailore' Aid Spci ty deserved. a larger audience, and but few places. can put forward such a choice selection. of amateur musicians as we had the pleasure of listening to on that occasion. That the skirl of the great war pipes, and the martial bearing and swing of the lads wi' the kilt made glad the hearts of many who were present, though I am told that several whose nerves were not well strung tried to flee in terror from

the dread sound. That Piper-Major Hall is a genuine artist, and his grand pibroch was a finished piece of lingering.

That if every nuisance complained of is be sat upon, discussed and reported upon. for eighteen months, instead of being removed, all Fever Commissions and Sanitary Boards may be abolished with

That anishing and prolonged scribbling do not appear to abate or remove vilo odours: nor will the By-laws of the Sanitary Board be more effective, unless they are promptly and sensibly applied. That the epithalamium addressed to our worthy Registrar General was certainly a novelty even in Celestial literature; and its simplicity of language and truth-

fulness of expression marked it at once as a master-piece of its kind That the result of the inquiry on steamer Pasig was a puzzle to many ought to know about such matters, and I have head several curious explanations of the apparent conflict of evidence as to

That the Insurance Agents have not changed their opinion as to the vessel's value as a marine risk may not mean very much, as her owner does not appear to

ask for insurance. That what may be termed the surgical history of the Pasig has been truthfully given by the local surveyors, whose ability and absolutely disinterested fairness may

be entirely depended upon. That as the inquiry or survey on the vesse was asked for in November, and not held until February, it is reasonable to infer that something was done in the interval to make good the delects, and this supposition is strengthened by the fact that Captain Burnie's offer to point out defects was not entertained by the Court of

That if the condition of the ship was dif ferent in November to what it was in February, this consideration throws a light upon the action of the River Steamboat Companies and the local surveyors

has furnished an opportunity for experts, who seem to have formed the opinion that the finding of the Court was in some points based upon inaccuracies. That an expert has assured me, for instance

that a thick coating of rust must have weakening effect upon an iron plate. That, to be precise to a decimal, a scale iron rust 7 inches by 4 inches, by .04017 inches, weighs 52 ounces, and contains 3,5 ounces of iron rust.

That if therefore scale contains 112 parts of iron to 48 parts of oxygen, is it possible that any expert in the world can get over that chemical truth, or the consequently clear conclusion that rust forms at the expense of the original iron i

That I am also told that plates that were originally only a quarter inch thick have been made since to measure 5-16ths, and that, too, after twenty years' wear and ! tear; that one plate now measuring 1-8th was stated to have measured over 5-16ths some weeks ago; and that certain holes that existed before she struck and are now visible could not have been seen by the Court of Survey.

That, if such be the case, the survey could not have been so exhaustive as it was supposed to be, or the presence of human fallibility must have been demonstrated by the members of the Court.

That the legal aspects of the case, and the rights of principals, will doubtless be fully discussed by the legal gentlemen interested, but that the apparent unfairness of the decision as affecting the complainants, the local surveyors and the public -if the condition of the vessel in February was not the same as when the Steamer Companies made their complaint-requires further discussion.

That the Imperiouse, our crack flag-ship, is believed to be almost unserviceable for the present, owing to defective guns and worn-out condensers, after a year's servies of the most mild description; and although our merchant ships can run their condensers for years at a stretch, our ships of war, which spend two-thirds of their time in port, are continually

breaking down. That it is beginning to dawn on more minds than Lord Charles Bercaford's that there is something rotten in our system, naval and military, which permits the existence of imperfect engines of war or pasteboard swords and bayonets, spite of the horde of departmental heads whose pay is drawn whatever may befal the material and machinery of the Services.

That it is no wonder the condition of our main thoroughfare, the Queen's Road, during the late rains, raised a ferment of virtuous indignation in the breast of 'A Ratepayer.

That the treatment it has been subjected to is perhaps the most successful perversion of all the principles of the late Mr MacAdam ever achieved bere, or else-

That a mixture of disintegrated granite and yellow mud is ill suited to resist the incisive action of narrow ricksha wheels and the puddling attributes of splay-

footed coolies. That if the Executive really wish to improve our roads, and make them passablein rainy weather, they ought to send a PRESENTATIONS TO THE HON. delegate to Shanghai to learn how 'to

mend their ways That doubtless their intentions are of the have been bubbling over with enthusiasm

breathing powers of our much-congested | was a procession to-day of guilds and head-

That the vacant space might be appropriate- by silk embroidered umbrellas, mirrore &c. ly beautified by the erection of Statues to &c., all emblematic if not expressive of the our more prominent citizens, -say to those highest esteem and the profoundest dedisinterested philanthropists who have sire for the welfare and future happeople, and so little for themselves.

That the entrance into the Council of our of such Chinese demonstrations. Dr. Ho late very worthy Puisne Judge in- Kai was selected as the spokesman of all troduces a flood of eloquence that is at the different guilds, and there were also times apt to be just a little bit excursive. present at the interesting celebration, Mr That there is much pent-up eloquence Quong Tart, of New South Wales, and Conamong the members which no doubt and Forrest from Amoy. would oftener find deliverance were, it

not that they, like sensible men, remem-That the definition of a bore is, 'Another Colony.

fellow who will insist upon talking about | Dr. Ho Kai, in presenting them, said :himself and his hobbies when I want to I have much pleasure in introducing for good. He hoped the guild would long of that ! talk about myself and my hobbies.

Excellency the Governor has been so There are a great many more outside, long, in making the discovery that Hong- come on the same errand. I will not kong is 'a very exceptional place." That the Honourable Member (Mr Layton)

was quite correct, and he is perhaps even more correct in his persistent advocacy of publicity and the fullest discussion That I spelit a pleasant afternoon with the Marionettes, but scarcely understood upon what footing I was admitted, as I am neither a 'school' nor a 'family.' BROWNIE

Mesara A. G. Stokes, S. J. Danby, A. P. S. Rustomjee, Hon. Wong Shing Mr. C. Ewens, General Manager, &c.

could only be obtained on 300,000 casks, or to remind you that during your short a little more than half, as the remainder absence you have the well wishes of Hongneo, Singapore, India, and America. The trifling things they will ask you to accept. last-named country alone would probably They hope to se you, after a short absence, take 250,000 casks for the Pacific coast return to the Colony renewed in health and alone, but the profit on this sale would not energy, to carry on your work amonest be larger than 50 cents a cask as the com- them, either as Registrar General or as He suggested that the present shareholders They hope that you will carry with you in addition to taking their shares should some memento of them and of this occahave the right to apply for one new share | sion. They simply beg you to accept the upon it by the finding of the Court of for every two they at present held, and as- things they have brought not for their in-That the unfortunate accident to the Pasig of 5,000. Three thousand were promised be- (Applause). fore he began this scheme, and that would

> price of cement i Mr Ewens-I think you may safely reckon it at \$4 per cask. Mr futchison-I have seen it at \$3.50. I think it would be safer to take it at from

\$3,50 to \$3.75.

the present market price was \$4.50. Mr Ewens - The profit would be too low !

Mr Hutchison auggested 100 shares. stake in the company before he can com-

I don't think 200 too much.

the directors would be all Chinese. give those three thousand shares to certain applicants?

Mr Ewens-In reality theold shareholders me.

are getting a bouns of 100 per cent.

shares to be allutted to outsiders.

dispose of these shares to the best interests for your fair partner which they would also these cases, his memory is bad. There is of the Company. This was agreed to.

share for every two they now hold. It was resolved, on the motion of Dr. Mr Ewens.

This terminated the business.

H. STEWART LOOKHART. The Chinese during the last few days there is a certain road 'paved with good General. Of course it is forbidden in the genuity of the Chinese has been put to the them I have seen you and that you are all to clear up you can have an opportunity of intentions, not usually considered a de- service to receive presentations and the in-That it would be a grand idea to utilize task to discover a means of expressing their well. I trust that the Californian and Aps- doing so. the piece of ground rendered vacant by sentiments to the popular Registrar General the removal of the Central Market, and in a way that would be acceptable and con-

men of the Chinese community, accompanied began to assemble at the office of the umbrella. That, to prevent heartburnings, the selec- Registrar General about noon to-day with tion for this honour might be by ballot. all the pomp and seremony characte istic

> The first deputation represented the general merchants and traders of Hongkong. the native commercial interests in the

this deputation. Some of them, you

That I was somewhat astonished that His know already, but others are strangers.

now trouble you, Mr Lockhart, with all the names. They will be found in the address which I have the pleasure of handing you. Those present represent a large and they come on the eve of your destroy and he knew they were always his mind one or two days after he shipped. particular incident as a serious one, and I shipments in more recent years. As a particular incident as a serious one, and I shipments in more recent years. As a and they come on the eve of your deholiday to wish you bon royage, a pleasant started in Hongkong. holiday and every happiness that they can imagine. For some time they have been under your protection, as Protector

of the Chinese. You have on several occa-THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., sion acted as Registrar General and recently A meeting of the shareholders of this nently on a well-deserved promotion. The Ewens, someter, this atternoon. There appreciated your wise administration, and were present: Dr Ho Kai, Dr Noble, to-day they come forward with a two-fold brought a congratulatory address with of which were absord. He complained of their treatment on the high sens will receive What has become of all this production of brought a congratulatory address with of which were absord. To have the brought a congratulatory address with of which were absord. To have the brought a congratulatory address with of which were absord. To have the brought a congratulatory address with of which were absord. To have the brought a congratulatory address with of which were absord. The broad have the brought a congratulatory address with of which were absord. The broad have the broa object. First of all, they have heard of the Stokes, C. C. Inchbald, J. D. Hutchison, recent happy event which marked your joining the ranks of the benedicts; and they desire to-day first of all to express to Mr Ewons said the first thing he had to you their good wishes and their prayer that do was to put before the meeting a scheme you may enjoy every happiness. Long of enlargement of the present company. The may you live together with your fair bride. company has a capital at present of They wish also that when you return from \$250,000, divided into 10,000 shares of England you will consent to their being in-\$20 each. It is capable of turning out troduced to her whom they respect so much about 4,000 casks per mouth. The engineer | and whom they desire very much to see. reports that the most convenient plan You will be able to explain to them the reawould be to increase the output to four son why she is not to be present to-day. times the present amount. It is proposed The next thing is that they want to present to form a company with a capital of you with certain trifling things of no value. a million dollars in 20,000 shares They are well aware of the rule of the of \$50 each, of which \$500,000 in fully paid service which prevents those who are

old company in full for the purchase of any valuable presents. Therefore you in more flattering terms than I deserve. I from discouraging that I encourage it their assets and habilities, each shareholder must not look upon the presents in their count many friends in the Nam Pak all I can, and have all complaints in the old company having to pay up his intrinsic value. They are merely expres- Hong, who have always shown themselves investigated. I don't remember that any each to be subscribed and paid for as fol- tion they have of your wise and benignant partment. In dealing with a large native I examined Carlson. No complaint was shares in full; 10,000 new shares of \$50 sive of their kind feeling and the apprecialows :-\$5 on allotment, \$20 on 31st administration. You see here one bowl of population like the Chinese it would simply made by any of the others as to Carlson October, \$15 on 31at December and water which costs simply nothing; but it be impossible to do anything like being assaulted. There was a charge of the remainder on 31st March 189), is a sample of purity, and is the usual thing justice to the administration of af- assault made by another man on his own all shares to rank equally for divid they present to the Chinese officials. You fairs without consulting with the behalf against the mate. That man was The new company would receive see before you a mirror which is a symbol members of the Chinese community. from the old company all their property of your wise discretion and discomment. am perfectly well aware that in the admi- this man if he had known the mate to comand interests whatsoever, including a large And they have also brought with them one nistration of their affairs I have often mit any act of violence to any of the stock of raw material, coal, bricks, cement of the-I do not know how to translate it- made mistakes, for which I am sorry, but others and he said no. A day or two and lime and about \$50,000 in cash. About Man Nam San, that is to say, a sort of it is human to err, and I hope you will ex- afterwards I had a letter from Dr Atkinson 500,000 casks could easily be disposed of in Chinese umbrella with all the donors' cuse my humanity in this respect. I have informing me that he had been told Carlson a year, but a profit of \$2 or \$2.50 a cask names embroidered on it. It will serve always found the Nam Pak Hong ready to bad been kicked on the head and also would have to be shipped to Manila, Bor- kong. And there are some other little pany would have to compete with England. | taking some other higher office amongst them.

Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart-I was only leave 2,000 to be distributed among quite taken by surprise to-day by the reoutsiders, and of these he must give 1 00 ception you gave me. I was told yesteror so to prople in Macao, because it was day that a few Chinese friends might meet the interest of the company that the shares at the office to bid me good-bye. I never should be as widely apread as possible. dreamt there would be such a large assem-Shareholders who had not fully paid their | bly or I would have prepared myself to may shares should do so within a fortnight, and something worthy of the occasion. I trust after that the allotment of the balance of the therefore you will excuse the remarks I now make, which are not at all equal to Mr Hutchison-In reckoning the pro- what ought to be said. You have very kindspects of prufit, what do you take as the ly alluded to a recent event in which I took a jolly good fellow." part, my marriage. I thank you very much for the kind way you have referred to my wife. I regret that owing to domestic circonstances she is unable to be present today. I can assure you that the interest she takes in you is quite as great as the at the Police Court to-day in connection Mr Ewens It will cost you \$2 a cask to interest which I can candidly tell you I with the charge against harles W. Carr, take in the Chinese community of Hong- second mate of the American barque Adam A Chinese Shareholder remarked that kong. I am very undeserving of the W. Spies, of assaulting one of the crew, kind things that you have said of me named Carl Carlson, who is a present an be and of the presents you have made, I con- inmate of the Lunatic Asylum at the Govabout \$250,000, even if you reckon it sider that Hongkong is dependent in a ernment Civil Hospital. Colonel Withers, only at \$1 for every cask, but I don't great measure upon the success of the Chi- U. S. Consul, again occupied a seat on the think there is any prospect of the nese community. I do not think there is beach. price going below \$4. With reference to any disguising the fact that the Chinese price going below cr. what do you think are one of the most important elements Dr Atkinson, Superintendent of the Home, said—I was on board the Adam W. Messrs Gillies and Davies retire at this along been the idea among bankers and the Home, said—I was on board the Adam W. Messrs Gillies and Davies retire at this along been the idea among bankers and ought to be the qualification? At present here. The harmony which prevails among Government Civil Hospital, said-On the it is 250 shares; do you think 200 would all classes will, I trust, continue for 26th January the patient Carlson was ad-Dr Ho Kai-He must have a certain numbers than there are now. You have the insane, an obscure nervous disorder. mand the confidence of the shareholders. department over which I preside. If in the head, and there was also a elight After some discussion it was agreed to I think it is only right to say that the credit of the face was slightly paralysed. On fix the qualification at 100 shares. Mr is not entirely due to me, but in a great asking how long he had been ill he said be Ewens remarking that if they made it higher | measure to the staff of this department. | had been ill since the night he came into Dr Noble-May I ask if you are bound to forming their duties that any success which night he was assaulted by the second mate may have attended the Administration of of the ship, and that since that night he had

Mr Danby also thought the applicants lian and Californian merchants, mention- mind when admitted. On the 14th Feb. who had been promised shares should be ing one or two of their names. He said bis symptoms became worse, an event that Fisher. He said there were two witnesses Advance Account, ... put on the same basis as the old share- They come on the same mission and with may happen in the course of the disease, the same sentiments as I have given ex- and on account of this we transferred him Mr Ewens said that would leave 2,5 0 pression to on behalf of the last deput to the Lunatic Asyhum. I saw him yestation. They also bring some tokens of terday. His state of mind is still work, Mr Hutchison suggested that it should their regard; and I believe there are but his bodily condition is much better be left to the discretion of Mr Ewens to also some small pieces of jewellery than when he came in. As is usual in ask you to accept on her behalf. They are another case admitted to the Hospital from inspired by the same admiration for your | the same ship and the man made a state: It was also agreed, on the motion of Mr ability and your wisdom. They wish to ment to me about this affair. Dauby seconded by Dr. Noble, that the bid you good-bye and also to express the His Worship-Well, I suppose that man present shareholders if they choose to apply hope that in a very short time you will can be produced. should have an absolute right to one new come back among us with increased health Inspector Cradock-He is not in and vigour to administer the work of this Colony now. department or some higher department. I Noble seconded by Mr Danby, to form the need say no more but hand you their cards that the man must have been in the state new Company on the terms proposed by and a list of the presents they have brought. Their presents are a congratulatory address | blows which he spoke about. embroidered on silk, a gold bracelet, and

these silver napkin rings. Mr : towart Lockhart-I thank you very much indeed for the high honour you have bye. I am going to pass through San it is initiated by you. Francisco on my way home, and I hope to friends. I shall be glad to be able to tell all events and if there is anything you wish There is a large field in both countries convert it into a 'long' to increase the formable to Government rules. The result for the industry and patience which are such great characteristics of the Chinese for the honour you have done her. In doing her honour you have pleased me more than you could otherwise have done.

Dr Ho Kai then introduced representadone so much towards housing the piness of the recipient. The processions tives of the fruit guild, who presented a silk Mr Stewart Lockhart thanked them for their kind present, which he said would figure in a conspicuous place in his humble | so on, which subsided to a few days, might abode wherever that might be. Next came the fish guild with an address

and a sick umbrella. Mr Stewart Lookhart said the fish guild the American Consul. was one of the most important in the Colony. Without our flah, residence in the you any reason to doubt that an assent East would not be so pleasant as it was. He took place? saw among them Ip Cha, with whom he had been acquainted for a long time and whose influence in the market had always been subsidence of the symptoms as confirmatory continue to flourish

Next came the Pork guild, who also ing that the man was suffering from some | found now. I may say that after hearing brought a silk umbrella as a token of their temporary injury to the brain.

nese merchants.

read Chinese, he need not translate. In had received any injury on the head. He general terms he would say that in no other said he had not. On asking the Captain if section of the community was Mr Lockhart | he had ever known the man to have got held in more esteem than in the section any injury to his head, the Captain said he these gentlemen represented. He would had once seen him have a hard fall on the always have their good wishes and their deck and that the second mate raised him assistance in anything that he required. up. The master said he went forward and They hoped that he would remember them asked Carlson if he was much hurt and he during his short absence, and that on his | said No, he would be all right in a few return they would be able to give him minutes. Seeing the man was utterly unn hearty welcome and would be able fitted for service and suffering from a nerto join with him in carrying on the good | your disease, I discharaged him and sent work he had undertaken and afford him him to the Hospital. He made no comevery assistance in the administration of plaint against the second mate. It was

nious in this Colony. I have never asked I made further inquiries but could find out them to assist and met with their refusal. nothing about it. I did not inquire of any I hope that the Nam Pak Hong will of the rest of the crew whether he had continue to flourish. The compliment | been assaulted. When inquiring into the that has been paid to me by so many other case of assault neveral of the crew representatives of all classes of Chinese will were present and heard me inquire if the never be forgotten by me. I am going mate had ever assaulted any other man. I home for a short period, but I trust to find | should think they might have told me if he you all in good health when I return and had. I did not speak to the second mate hope that the good feeling that has pre- himself about this assault until yesterday,

Mr Kau Hong Take wished Mr Lookhart pleasant passage and hoped to see him among us shortly.

Thereafter a small banquet was givposed in Chinese and honoured in true He often assaulted Carlson before this.

ALLEGED BRUTALITY ON BOARD AN AMERICAN SHIP.

Mr Wodehovee heard further evidence

The following evidence was taken :long. I hope that the Chinese will mitted to the Hospital. He was suffering half-past four. I noticed Carlson walking Auditor. - The Accounts have been auditcome to this Colony even in greater from what is known as general paralysis of alluded to my administration of the In addition to this he complained of pain that administration has given satisfaction, weakness of the right arm. The left side It is to their unwearying exertion in per- Hongkong. He also stated that on that

Chinese affairs is to a great extent due. I been sick and vomitting, and that he had Mr Ewens—I promised to give them sud | see here present to-day a very great num- | been . knocked silly. The symptoms I think it would be unfair now to say there's | ber of my friends whom I have often had have described subsided in a few days. On a lot of new applications and I can't give the pleasure of meeting both in business the 28th I reported this to Dr Ayres on his relations and in accial relations. I hope that | visit to the Hospital, and he told me I had Dr Noble-Do you think they should when I return I may find them all in as good better communicate wito Col. Withers, the have more claim to them than the original health as they are in now; and they may American Consul, mentioning the stateshareholders? I think you should con- be certain I will not forget the great kind- ment made by the patient. The patient aider those applicants in the same light as ness they have shown to me. You will ex- told me he had been kicked on the head the old shareholders and give them one in cuse me saying any more. I can assure and that he had been hit with the handle every two shares. It seems unfair to the you that I appreciate more highly than I of something which I understood to be a can tell you all that you have said about mop. I looked for marks but saw none of and tried to keep them from coming to any kind. Such blows might or might not Court. Dr Ho Kai then introduced the Austra- leave marks. He was in a weak state of James Wilson, recalled, said-When I Capital Account, ...

Witness continuing-I am of opinion

of mind described before he received the His Worship-Do you wish to ask any

questions of the witnesses ! Dr Atkinson-With what object His Worship -Well this case comes done me by coming here to wish me good- in a rather mysterious way, and I am told

Dr Atkingon-That is quite wrong.

Dr Atkinson-I have made no communication to the Police about the case whatever. I reported the case to the American Consul at Dr Ayres' recommendrace. I thank you on behalf of my wife ation, but I have taken no steps at all to communicate with the Police. His Worship-It has nothing to do with Pou at all?

Dr Atkinson-Nothing. His Worship-You say there were marks of blows on the patient Dr Atkinson-None. The symptoms which I described, the pain in the head and have been caused by blown. The patient spoke about having received blows and that

is the reason why the case was reported to His Worship - Medically speaking have Dr Atkinson -No.

Last of all came the representatives of the medical practitioner myself, I asked him think, however, that there is very good of 1830 were quoted as 745 catties which, Nam Pak Hong, among whom was Kau to bring up the man to me. He was brought reason why strict inquiry should be held as at 28 dollars a buncal (12 to the catty), Hong Take and several other leading Chi- up and on examining him I came to to the treatment Carlson may have received gave \$250,376, or at the then curthe conclusion that his mind was und during the voyage. The American Consul, rent rate of Exchange £56,334. Gold-Dr Ho Kai, in introducing them, said sound. His memory was very defective, who has been here throughout these pro- dust shipments to Calcutta made by they represented one of the most powerful in fact I may say he had none. He could ceedings, knows the evidence that has been a firm of old standing in Singapore, Messrs sections of the community, one of the not remember where he was shipped, and given, and I have no doubt any complaints Barkies and Moses, in 1842, were quoted most important commercial sections. They made many contradictory statements, some the crew will have to make with regard to showing 6462 buncals or nearly 54 catties.

me he should have made it if he had one to Mr Lockhart thanked their for their kind- make. Seamen know that they have a right ne's He said :- The address is couched to make such complaints to me, and so far

vailed in the past will continue in the when I asked him if he did strike the man and he said no. William Emerson-I made a charge of assault against the prisoner to the American Consul The assault took place on the high seas. I was then asked if the mate en to Mr Lockhart. The toasts of the had assaulted anybody else besides myself. Queen, the Governor, the Emperor of I replied that he had frequently done so. China, the health and prosperity of Mr I think I mentioned then that he had Lockhart, Dr Ho Kai (who pres ded), assaulted Carlson, but I cannot quite rethe prosperity of Hongkoug were pro- member. He did frequently assault men. British fushion. Mr Quong Tart, on the have seen him strike him with a rope's end health of Mr Lockbart being proposed, as- and with his hand. This is the only occatonished the guests by singing For he's sion on which he has assaulted him inside Hongkong waters. In my case the prisoner back of the head with a belaying pin.

Jonies Wilson-I was present when about having been assaulted. I did not hear the Consul ask whether the mate had assaulted anybody else besides him. I was not present all the time the case was being in vestigated. I have seen Carlson assaulted on several occasions, but only this once in Hongkong waters. From where Carlson was standing when he was struck he would be easily knocked down. It would not

office coming in. I remained on board till for re-election. around the poop deck when I went on board, in an aimless sort of way. Nobody seemed to take any notice of him or give him any orders. One of the sailors told me this man was a lunatic. I took more notice after that. I noticed him go down on the main deck and begin to vomit. I remained in the after part of the ship all the time where the second mate was super- | Property Account, intending the work. I did not not Carlson | Steam-Launch Precursor, ... helping to take in sail. I was within ten New Boiler, yards of the pinrail of the mainmas; while Cube Machine, sail was being taken in. I did not see any- Refined Sugar, body fall from the pinrail. If anybody had Raw Sugar, fallen off I must have seen it. I have Molasses. heard that a man tumbled off not in port Coals; Charcoal, Stores, Fire but at sea. The second mate was in my view all the time. He never struck one Cash. blow. I must have seen it if he had. Inspector Cr. dock said he had to com- Profit and Loss Account, ...

plain of the witness Fisher having interfered with the witnesses for the prosecution

was on my way up this morning I saw Jardine, Matheson & Co., coming to go against us and that we would Jardine, Matheson & Co., not be required. I had been ordered by Current Account, the Magistrate to come up.

Robert Fisher-I did not tell these men that they would not be required. I merelysaid that there were two other witcesses

Captain Field, recalled, said-Carlson had not been on the sick list previous to the day of arrival. This is the second mate's first voyage on the ship as a cond mate. To Balance from last year, ... 8 27,948.53 So far as I know he has had a good charac- To Interest, ... \$21,371.41 ter. It is the case that he was fined a dolher for assaulting Emerson. I have had no difficulties with the crew. The two first witnesses are steady men so far as I know. The second mate is engaged till our return to the United states in 24 months from the time we left.

James Wilson, recalled, said-I had not said anything about this affair before the instector spoke to me, as I thought it would be no use. This concluded the evidence.

His Worship said-This case has come before me under such peculiar circumstances that I have felt great difficulty in By Gain on Working. knowing how to deal with it. I have now By Balance, ... gone into the whole matter carefully, and the only part of it that concerns this Court is the alleged assault in Hongkong. As to any treatment that the man Carlson may have received on the high seas, that is not within the jurisdiction of this Court and is not for me to deal with except in ac far as of the Company, and the Returns received it might bear on any punishment I might from the Manila Agents, and certify that have to indict on the prisoner for the as the above Statements are in accordance sault in Hongkong. I was led to expect therewith. that Dr Atkinson had observed various symptoms which led him to suppose that the man had been very seriously assaulted. The evidence of Dr Atkinson as given shows nothing of that kind. And also I have to remember that this alleged assoult took place on or about the 22nd of January, and no notice is taken of it until now, nearly six wooks afterwards. I think it is sourcely fair to the prisoner that he should be placed in that position. If an sessult has been committed it ought to have been looked into at once when there was some chance of ascertaining the actual facts His Worship -And you look upon the of the pase, and also giving the prisoner an opportunity of calling any witnesses he might wish to call and who are not to be

the evidence of the different witnesses Cul. Withers said-When the ship came certainly think an assault was committed. Mr Stewart Lockhart duly thanked them in the matter came to me and said one of One knows that on board these ships a and said he was sorry he had not been able his orew was crazy and he wished to dis- certain amount of rough treatment goes on. to have as much experience of their pro- charge him. I asked him if he became Under all the circumstances, considering ducts as of the last guild. But he had had crazy before he shipped or after. He replied what I have said in regard to the way in Phang and Sambas gold dust to Singapore, a good deal of experience of how the guild that he supposed the man must have been which this case has been brought before worked. It was one of the most important crazy when he shipped as he was out of me, I am not inclined to deal with this ready to join in any good work which was He said a doctor had examined him and find that the prisoner is entitled to his sample of the extent of the trade in former thought he was imbecile. Having been a acquittal on this particular charge. I times the returns of the first nine months

The following letter appears in the North China Daily News :ing that the information obtained by you a few days ago and commented on in your leading article to-day, relating to the broach in the bank of the Yellow River may not af er all be strictly accurate. Chinese like ves, but the idea that anyone like Wo Ta-chong living on the spot could telegraph to Peking that the breach was closed, when a stream 6) or 70 feet doop was flowing knowledge of the facts.

I am, yours faithfully, G. JAMES MORRISON. Shanghai, 23rd Feb.

PANY, LIMITED. The following is the report for presentation to the Shareholders at the Seventh Ordinary Annual Meeting, to be held at the offices of the General Agents, at noon,

ended 31st December, 1888.

Emerson made a complaint to the Consul diture on property account, however, has carrying on this gold dust industry, is that increased the amount of the General the Chinese are sufficiently acute to know Agents' advances by upwards of \$50,000. | when they come across a good thing, The new Cube Machine is now in full and that if it were known to the working order, and the General Agents outside world the country would soon,hope that the result of its working during as it now will be, -inundated with

penditure incurred in providing it.

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1889. CAPITAL ACCOUNT. -- SINT DECEMBER, 1888. Insurance. &c. ... Sundry Debtors,

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, ... Sundry Oreditors

> PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. Less Interest on General Agents' Advence Ac-

count, 3,500.00 To Remuneration to Consulting Committee, ... To General Agents' and Manila Agenta' Commissions, To Auditor's Fee

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, 25th Fabruary, 1889.

fuln and Beneral Debility will try Boett's Emulsion of Pure Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites, they will find immediate relief and a permanent benefit. The Medical Profession in the various countries of the world universally declars it a remedy of the greatest value, and as it is very palatable it can be readily taken by the most sons tive stomach, and will never fail to give relief and comfort to the sufferer. Any Chemist can supply it -- Watson & Co. (Limited),

THE BREACH IN THE YELLOW

Sir .- I trust you will excuse my suggestother people are inclined to represent matters in the way most favourable to themselunder the ice is more difficult to believe than the other supposition, viz, that your informant has been deceived by appearances. It is very probable that the Chinese took advantage of the ice to build a huge muss of millet stalks which was to be eventually lowered into the breach. They had space to lay 1,00) ten-inch hawsers across the breach on the ice to support such a mass when built and they would think nothing of doing it. Their methods of working are dismetrically opposed to western methods, but with an unlimited command of labourare not irrational, and while the stopendous difficulties to be evercome bave made most people, myself included, hesitate to accept the statement that the breach was completely closed as absolutely correct, the evidence that it is closed is so very strong as to lead one to attach little weight to information such as that lately supplied to you, which, though doubtless given in good faith, is most probably founded on an imperfect

THE LUZON SUGAR REFINING COM-

on Thursday, the 7th March, 1889 :-

The General Agents have now to submit

ed by Mr Arnold, whom the General Agents recommend to be re-elected as Auditor. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General gents.

Thave examined the Books and Youchers

THOS. ARNOLD. Auditor.

Ir the sufferers frum Consumption, Scroagents in Hongkong and China. -- Adet.

PAHANG GOLD. A STARTLING AND IMPORTANT THEORY. The Singapore, Free Press says :- In an article published in yesterday's issue of our contemporary, giving some account of the r orch of many, years ago of shipment of account for the strange cessation of those

the supplies are now exhausted or have so diminished that they no longer pay to work, or that the export of gold continues but is deviated from Singapore through some other chaanel to a different destination. The problem is a curious and interesting one, and an occasional correspondent has, we firmly believe, hit upon the only rational solution. He is absolutely convinced that we are to put saids as absurd any supposition that gold dust production has censed. The extensive export of gold from Pahang has not almost vanished without rhymo or reason. The auriferous soil is there, the native workers are there, the motive for winning the gold is the same as ever it was, and as a matter of fact the producunremittingly than in those days of which we read. whose statistics are precise

and not to be explained away. Our correspondent furnishes an explanation which not only accepts as a datum the continuance of all the conditions of those ormer years, but receives corroboration if a collateral nature from another and a distant quarter. Although it cannot be doubted, he holds, that the quantity of gold dust panned out and collected by Malays and Chinese in Pahang is greater than ever it was, greater than in those times nearly fifty years ago when the export in nine months amounted to the value above given, it is disposed of nowadays through quite another channel. It is secretly col lected by Chinese dealers and exported just as secretly in junks to the north of Ching. Once arrived there, the gold dust

is forthwith converted into bars and gold lenf. Independently of the remarkable and quite inexplicable fact of the apparent drying up of a stream of gold import that in the times alluded to flowed into Singapore from Pahang, account must be taken of the secrecy with which the gold washing industry must have been carried on in later years owing to the rapacity and extertion of the native authorities in Pahang. A scoret export of the gold production of Pahang is quite in accordance with the probabilities, and our correspondent claims to have known for a considerable time past their report on the working of the Company that North China is the market which reand a Statement of Accounts for the year ceives the chief part of the Pahang gold dust export. He states that it was this The improvement referred to in the last knowledge which first induced him about report has continued during the year under | two and a half years ago to purchase and review, and, although it is still impossible hold a considerable number of Punjom was fined a dollar. I was struck on the to declare a dividend, the balance at debit Mining Company's shares. The main reaof working account has been reduced by son which is adduced by him for the nearly \$10,000. Further necessary expen- great secrecy with which the Chinese are

the current year will justify the great ex. Europeans, Australians, and Americans. The districts from which the most of Consulting Committee. - As authorised at the gold is got are Punjom and Raub, last Meeting, the General Agents invited though there is a considerable amount of require a very hard blow if he was taken Mr.T. E. Davies of Messrs Douglas, Lapraik work of this nature going on in other parts & Co., to become a member of the Consult- of the country, about which operations Robert Fisher, assistant at the Sailors' | ing Committee, which he consented to do. | little is known. We are told that it has all Spies when she was abreast of the Harbour | Meeting, but being eligible offer themselves | financial men in China that the gold bars so largely exported all over the world from Shanghai were manufactured from Australian sovereigns. These who are qualified to judge say that a comparison of the two metals would show almost at a glance that the Shanghai bar gold is of a much lighter touch, being unalloyed. This fact compels us to look to some other quarter for the source of the gold, supply which reaches. Shanghai, and tends to support the con-\$742,808 66 | viction, or rather the information, upon 5,292.30 | which our correspondent states that he has 1,076.45 | noted. The imports of gold dust with 28,877.90 Singapore, as shown in the article referred 70,041.24 to, represented only a portion of the total export of the precious metal from Pahang. 894.50 We are given to understand that indefinite but large quantities found their way to China, to Japan, Siam, the Phillipines. Java, Austrana and other places in the 60,295.44 East, where it was largely used in barter 18,486.48 for the produce of these countries. All this looks as if we were on the eve .fa \$991,928.58 plendid discovery. If the anticipations concerning the future of Pahang, which are now so confidently formed by men of un-\$700,000.00 doubted attainments and experience in mining matters, be anything like realised. 50,000.00 | we shall perhaps soon see a depreciation in the value of the sovereign, a corresponding appreciation of that unlucky monetary unit in something like its old respectable pos-10,898.88 ition. This indeed would be 'a consummation devoutly to be wished.' Whether this much desired result come soon or 8991,928.58 come late, it is only a great development of gold production, such as many wellskilled persons anticipate with regard to Pahang, that can help us to this end. In this anticipation our correspondent has the strongest confidence, and with regard to the particular autiferous district, Punjoni, a concession of 100 square miles, he avers that had it not been for the cress mismanagement which prevailed at the Punjom mines up till the time when Mr Becher 17,871.41 took charge, the original sharsholders should ere now have made their fortunes. 1,500.00 | Should our correspondent's startling theory as to the hidden activity of the Paleina 11,139.91 gold dost industry prove to be the trus 125.00 state of the case and there is much to subport it, it will soon not be only these inter-

\$ 53,584.85 ested in the present European gold mining ventures in Pahang who will have cause to \$ 40,118.37 congratulate themselves on their enter-Honokong, March 2. On Lendon-Bank Wire. On demand. 80 days' sight, 4 months' sight, Documentary, a mouthe sight Qu Paris On demand. Oredita, 4 months sight, ... 3.80 On New York-On demand, ... Oredits, 60 days sight, On Bombay-On demand. On Calentia-On Shanaha --On demand. 30 days' sigh' private, ... 724

Now the maiden sat there, unaware Of the plot that he had hatched; And the mountain breeze played with her And fanned her cheek and her brow so fair, As she sat there still, quite unaware

Of the kiss soon to be anatched. Then the lover awaited a real good chartee. To capture the longed-for kiss, When, watching the wimpling wavelets

She turned her head with a quick shy And, leaning back, she gave him a chance That was really too good to miss.

So he bent to meet her, and tried to steal That kiss that he burned to get, But he bent so quick in his ardent zeal That the craft upset like, a whirling wheel, And he missed the kiss that he tried

And they both got very wet. -W. H. Hills.

ORIGIN OF THE TEA PLANT Ages ago, when the world was grand, In the reign of the Emperor Whoo, There lived a sage in the Flowery Land Whom tradition calls Sin Foo: And no other mortal could understand One-half the lore he knew

This wise man never was known to grown For he knew all things that be The reason why girls say No for Ven Was as plain as A. B.C.; And e'en the ages of actresses

He know why girls sit on the floor Whenever they put on a shee And why for each strawberry blonde you

He know, so wise was he.

A white horse comes into view ; A wonderful things unknown before, And nothing to him was new.

But the strongest brain must tire some day. And this was Sin Foo's mishap : He could not study, nor write, nor play. Nor sit with his book in his lup; But his eminent head would ned straightway And his oyelids shut with a snap.

hed.

To keep him awake he tied his queue To the top of his chair back tall : He hired two cate to sit and mow 4 All night on the garden wall; He pinched himself both black and blue, Aud slumbored in spite of all !

He rose with a resolute cough: Full well he knew, if he snored through How people would sneer and scoff So he asked his wife for a carving knife,

Weary at last of the useless strife,

And out both his eyelida off! His poor wife shrinked as they dropped to

the ground. When-a marvellous eight to see ! Where they fell a beautiful plant wasil

found. More sweet than the jasmine tree, And when the spinsters had gathered They tasted and named it TEA!

For le i as they sat on the ground and drank Of the beverage, long and deep, Their heads no more nodded or backward

The Tee had driven off Sleep, -The world had only the sage to thank That each one awake could keep.

Since then when a Chinaman goes to drink A cap of the balmy brew Ere he puts his lips to the fragrant brink, He shakes a sorrowful cus : For he never ah! never -can choose but

Of the fate of the great Sin Foo! Tomasel Minturn Fook in Roston Trans-

THE IMPERIAL MARRIAGE. CEREMONY.

The marriage of the Emperor of China. Kuang-iii, to Yeh-ho-na-la, niece of the Empress Dowsger and cousin of the Emperor, took place on the 26th Feb. and the following account of the ceremony enjoined by precedents has been specially sent to the N.-C. Daily News from Peking.

ware, gold and silver work, furniture,

ornaments, stationery and so forth.

Officers, by the Emperor's command, in front of the hall, with these pavilions on ing to receive them. During this time the should go to worship at the Temples of the right and left of it. Meantime the officials of the Board of Music will perform, Heaven, Earth, and the Gods, and an- Board of Works has arranged three yellow and then eight sunuchs will carry the Emnonnce the approaching nuptials. On the tables in the hall, one in the middle, the press' chair into the Chien-ching palace. 25th of February, the necessary arrange- others on either side, the Chief Commis- where she will be requested to alight. ments should be made in the palace. The sioner placing the gold sceptre on the centre and will be transferred to another Officers of the Office of Equipments should table, and the marriage contract and gold chair decorated with pencocks' feathers, in reverentially bring out the Empress' sedan seal on the side tables. The two Commis- which she will be carried to the Chung-tsui chair, yellow chairs, and her chariot to sioners then retire and leave the arrange- palace. Here a brazier of live coals will which an elephant is harnessed-this last ments in charge of the cunuchs belonging have been made ready, over which her being merely formal. The accompanying to the Empress' residence. paraphernalia are :-

embroidered with dragons. One pair of crooked-handled umbrellas, embroidered with phoenixes. A pair of large fans.

Ten coloured umbrellas. Four umbrellas worked with gold thread. A pair of plain red umbrellas. Eight banners decorated with dragons and phoenixes.

Two embroidered flags. Eight fans embroidered with dragons. Eight yellow fans shaped like a phoa-

At the proper time the gold sceptre inlaid tables are arranged by the chief cunuchs at | pavilion. the Chiao-tai palace, on the right and left hand, and on thom the marriage contract and gold seal are placed.

in robing the Empress. The robes that will be presented with a 'precious bottle' she will have to wear are :--A red silk headdress decorated with pearls, chrysophrases, coral, rubies, cor-

An embroidered court robe decorated with pearls, with jewels on the overlaps. Two strings of coral beads.

A necklace decorated with coral. A pair of jewelled earrings. A folded handkerchief.

The Empress will rest after being robed, with jade, with a dragon character ou it, and then a cunuch will come to the hall the Imperial couple to drink by joining should be brought out from the Imperial and invite her to come out and receive the their wine cups. When night comes, some palace and received by the two Ministers of marriage contract and gold seal. She will of the ladies of the court offer them the the Imperial Household at the Chien-ching be attended by two princesses, while a pudding called the Pudding of Sons and palace, in order that it may be placed in senuch holds the contract in both hands Grandsons,' and the broth called the Empress' sedan chair. The same and reads it to har. This done, the Em- Broth of Long Life. This having been Ministers must prepare two pavilions in the press will retire to her hall and again rest. tain the Empress' wedding dresses. A lead- seal and hands thom to the Chief Commis- four corners of the bedstead. ing ennuch then requests the appointed sioner, who replaces them in their pavilions, princesses to put the dresses in the pavilions all the proper officers and attendants being Princesses go to the bridal chamber to help which are then carried by connechs to the in their places. Another cunuch will fix the Empress to dress. The Emperor also Hargresves, Missl gate of the Shun-chen palace, and handed to the auspicious time, and then eight eunuchs puts on his full dress, and the proper in- Hamston, W. B. 1 the Office of Equipments, who despatch them | will carry the Empress' chair into the hall, | structions are given to the Imperial couple to the Empress' residence, attended by four | the chair containing a sceptre inlaid with | as to kneeling, ketowing and rising. The princesses. On their arrival they are hand- | jade. This sceptre will be taken out by Emperor then conducts the Empress to ed to the ennuchs of the residence, the two princesses, and handed to a cunuch worship the Gods of Hoaven, Earth and princesses remaining to be ready for their who will give it to the officer of the Imnext duties. On the same day yellow perial Household, who replaces it in its and kotowing nine times. This done, they

The princesses will then help the Empress to take her seat in her chair, after giving her an apple, the chair having been The Emperor then repairs to the Trüning famigated with a piece of Tibetan incense, palace, where he kotows nine times to the and having been placed in the position of A few days before the actual wedding the Empress Dowager, after which be goes to Pleasing God.' The whole procession servants of the Office of Equipments will the Tai-ho palace, where the yellow tables will then escort the Empress to the Imcarry to the Imperial palaces with all cere- are placed, and reads over the marriage perial palace, by the main front entrance, mony the hundreds of articles for the use contract. Here two pavilions have been the Ta Ching gate. Princesses and noble of the Emperor and his bride that have prepared, and the Chief Commissioner takes, ladies will enter by the back gate, the Shon been prepared previously by the Board of the gold sceptre and puts it in one pavilion, Wu gate, and will await the arrival of the the Imperial Household, and kept in the while the Assistant Commissioner puts the procession at the palace. On its arrival at Empress' palace. These articles comprise marriage contract and gold seal in the other. the Chion-ching gate, the attendants must jawellery, head-dresses, clothes and acces. The Office of Equipments then carries these stop, and the pavilions having been replaced sories, embroideries, needlework, fine China. pavilions in procession from the Tai-ho; here, the Ministers of the Board of Rites palace, through the middle gate of the pa- will take out the gold seal and marriage carved and inlaid upholatery, personal lace, and out at the Ta Ching gate to the contract from these pavilions and place Empress' residence. On their arrival the them on the tables arranged at the Chiao-

On the 24th of February, the High Empress' sedan chair is placed temporarily tai palace, where cumuchs will be in waitchair will be carried. The appointed prin-On the 26th of Febuary, all being ready, cess will then ask her to alight, and present Bone, T. G. Two pairs of yellow silk umbrellas, four princesses will proceed to the Empress' her with an apple. The sceptre inlaid with residence at 12 o'clock a.m. (sic), to assist jade will be taken out of her chair, and she containing pearls and gold coins.

A bow and arrow and a saddle bave been previously placed on the threshold of the nelians, amethysts, and jasper, and blue bridal chamber, and the Emperor having arrived in full costums to meet his bride, takes the bow and arrow and shoots at the Cuthbertson, W. saddle on the threshold, and then removes Chhun the bride's veil Two Princesses then Clarke, Capt. J. A.1 conduct the Empress to the bridal chamber | Collins, F. J. where the Emperor sits on the left hand of | Crampton, P. J. 1 the bed, and the Empress on the right, Colquboun, W. 1 face to face. The Princesses then request done the Princesses will arrange the bed, courtyard of the Chung-tsui palace, to con- A sunuch then takes the gold sceptre and sceptres inlaid with jade being put at the Gardner, W.

At 3 a.in. on the 27th of Fabruary the Granzweig, R. the Household, which they do by kneeling repair to the Hwu Huang temple, where they burn Tibetan incense and kotow nine times : thence to the Cheng-chien palace, where they kotow nine times before the Lavis, G. images of their grandfather, father and bro- Luther, E. ther. Thence they come to the Chu-hau palace, where they present sceptres to the Empress Downger and kotow nine times. The Empress Downger gives them her own sceptre, and they return to the palace. where the Empress kneels to present her sceptre inlaid with jude to the Emperor, and kotows nine times. The Emperor confers his sceptre inlaid with jade on the Empress, who then takes her seat, and the two secondary Empresses kneel down and ko- Adam W. Spies 1 tow nine times to the Empress. On the 3rd of March a proclamation will

make known the Imperial marriage throughout the whole Empire. On the 5th of March the Viceroys, Governors, Generals-in-chief, and Brigadier-Generals of the eighteen provinces, and nobles and high officials of the first and second rank in Peking, will congratulate the Emperor, each presenting him with a Earn sceptre inlaid with jade. On the following | Esmeralda, Sch. 1 day the Emperor graciously gives a banquet to his Ministers and the Envoys of his vassal kingdoms, which, by the gracious permission of the Empress Dowager, is Gaw Quan Sia attended by the noble ladies of the Court.

LITTLE Elsa, who has learned that it is night in America when the sun is shining in germany, and vice versa, hears that an aged lady is preparing to go to her son in America, and asks : 'How will the old lady ever get used to living there when it is night in the day-time and day in the nighttime ? '-Fliegende Blätter.

MOTHER

SEIGEL'S Fermanagh Time Fireside News.

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Hongkong, Saturday Noon, 2nd March, 1889. POSITION PER LAST REPORT. CASH QUOTATIONS.

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Banks. Hongkong & Shanghai Bank- ing Corporation	1865	9 7,500, 000	5 6 0,0 00 \$	125	nll .	\$ 4,300,000	\$ 59,874.63	39) for § year to \$1 12 88 of ex 3 0] 59.86 per	Feb. 25, 8			_
Marine Insurances Union Insurance Society of a Conton, Limited	1867	2 ,500,000	10,000 \$	250\$	25	\$ 696,500		1 Zelf / Emily Self Tippe I	Oct. 11, 8	8.8110	8110	8105
China Traders' InsuranceCo , Ld	1865	2,000,000	194,000 g	83.33 \$	25	\$ 650,000	30 Juna 88 261,119,29		Sunt 4 8	8 \$80, buyers	\$80	\$79
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Hongkong Fire Insur. Co., Ld.	1		,	250 \$	1		\$ 326,787.88	\$16.50 p. sb. for year ending 31 Dec. 1887 [83 p. sb. to a.e yr. 88]		08361, sales, ex div.		-
China Fire Insurance Co., Ld.	1870	, ,		100\$	2 0 §			52 mer cont revenue	Feb. 25, 8	980, buyers, ex div.	-	-
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Singapore Insurance Co., Ld	1881 8	4,000,000	40,000\$	100 \$	20 \$	3 11,875.91	8 76,898.10	1 / 1001 famous and 3		\$16½, sellers	_	_
Docks. H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ld. Steam-Boats.	1800	1,562,500	12,500 \$	125	ell i	none	\$ 1,005.71	\$ 2 p. c. for 6 m, embng \$ 31/12/89 25 p. c. for bog \$	Feb. 26, 89	42 °/, prem., buyers, ex div.	42 % prem.	32 % prem
Hongkong, Canto: & Macao } Steam-boat Co., Limited	1865	800,000	40,000,8	20	all } *	\$ 45,000 } \$235,000 }	\$ 17,000.22	{7%&1% bonus f. } {6m.end.30/12/88}	Feb. 4, 8	121 % prem.,		121 °/a pre
Indo-China Steam Navigation } Co., Limited	1870 £	600,000	£ 000,000	10 85	1,01	none	£ 1,922.8.9	1691 1	1	par, sales and	×	_
Douglas Steamship Co., Ld	1883 \$	1,000,000	20,000 \$	50	11 9	211,060.19	\$ 3,110.37	10918 15	Sept. 24, 86	\$72, buyers	- ·	_
	1882 3	175,000	3,500,8	50. i	all §	10,000	\$ 18.58	IR % for we and S	Mar. 24, 88	\$170, nom.		_
	1878	1	15,000\$	100	all	bana	8 7,100.07	(15 per cent. for 1888,) 6 per cent. paid 24/8/9		\$200, nom.		
Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld.	1882.8	700,000	7,000 \$	100,	all -	none	Dr. \$ 27,948,53	L M DET CEDE, DAME 19/2/189 1	_		\$101	\$97
Wharves, Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf } & Godown Co., Limited	1886 8	1,700,000	17,000\$	100	all	none	\$ 1,224.97	{ 4°/, for yr. end- ing 31/12/87 }	March 9, 88	100 % prem.,	100 % prem.	89 °/. prem
Tramways. Hongkong High-Level Tram-	1887 \$	120,000	1 041/0	100 8	50	. !		(\$4 per share—10 per centiper annum paid for First 6 m. ending 30/11/88.	1	buyers	Li	
waya Company, Limited j	1	,	1,200\$	100.0		-	_	for First 6 m. ending 30,11/88.	Dec. 22, 88	3250 % prem., nom.	_	-
Punjom & Soughie Dua Sa- } mantan Mining Co., Ld.	1885 g	400,000	40,000\$	10,		none	_	_	_	870	\$80	828
Somitta Francisco des Ches	1888 F	Ga. 4,000,000	1	s. 500 {	ali 4 ex. 3.80	none	_	First year		275 °/ prem.,	-	
Planting. &c.				16	per \$)				buyers	Tio Is brown	16 16
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China-Borneo Company, Limited Labuk Planting Co., Limited	1888	750.000	7,500 \$	100 S 50 S	50 10	_	Ξ	First year First year		\$60,	_	=
Hotels. Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited	1				.,			\$4% for 6 m. end-}	i	\$15, buyers	_	
Austin Arms Hotel & Building }					lía	попе	8 8,706.04	ing 30/6/88	Aug. 31, 86	\$170, nom.	÷ -	
Company, Limited Peak Hetel & Trading Co., Ld.	• -			50 \$ 50 \$	20 15	_		First year	J.	25 % dis., nom.	-	–
Dispensaries. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited						(\$ 15,000)		First year		10 % pre., nom.	- 	_
Cruickshank & Co., Limited						\$ *5,000	8 411.47	(f per cent,=\$3 nersh.)		97½ */. prem., sellers		· · · · ·
Lighting	1		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,					31 August.	Oct. 5, 88	par, nom.	· · ·	-5
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Miscellaneous.										\$18, for \$2 paid up	ōro.	6 00
Hongkong Ice Co., Limited	1881 8	125,000	5,000\$	25	all \$	46,000		{ 20 pr. ct. for 1888=55 } p.sh.: 7 pr. ct. paid 1/8/88,13 p.c. pd. 8/2/89		892, sellers	-	
H'kong & China Bakery Co., Ld.				50	all	none	8 184.15	A Ed w ale forman and 1	Feb. 26, 89	\$85, non.		
HK. Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. Dairy Farm Co., Limited	1883 8		3,000 \$		all ali		Dr. \$ 6,866.27	none		3145, nom.		
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1886 \$	12,000	1,200\$	10	ali		Dr. \$ 9,602.54 Dr. \$ 1,375.21		-	310½, nom.	_	
Steam Launch Company, Ld Green Island Company, Limited,	1889.8	100,000 250,000		50 \$ 25 \$	20		131	First year First year	-	150% pm., nom.	E - ER	
				<u> </u>				A ILOU JUAN	4	\$45, buyers	• 38	<u> </u>

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